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PROCESS FOR THE SYNTHESIS OF BIS-ARYL
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Our Ref. No. 421/60/20/2

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Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
2. Form PTO-1449 (2 pages) in duplicate;
3. Copy of cited references (11 references); and
4. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

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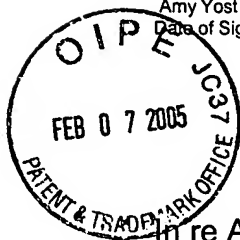
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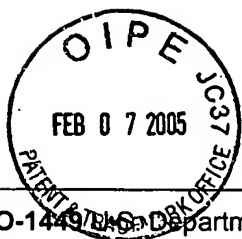
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